

PLUMBERS' TRUCE WITHIN TEN DAYS

Issue Between Masters and
Journeyman Expected to
Be Settled Then.

READY TO ARGUE ON DATA

Board of Arbitration Meets Tomorrow
at National University Law
School.

The issue between the master plumbers and the journeymen is now fairly joined, the attorneys representing the parties to the arbitration having finally agreed at a conference with the members of the board of arbitration on the questions which they will present to the board for argument.

This agreement between the attorneys, J. S. Easby-Smith, representing the master plumbers, and Stuart McNamee, representing the journeymen, simplifies matters and indicates that the differences which brought about the lockout of the journeymen by the master plumbers last March will be adjusted within the next ten days.

At the National University Law School tomorrow afternoon the board of arbitration, consisting of Judge Peelle, of the Court of Claims, and Attorneys Worthington, Darlington, Ralston, and Sheehy will meet and counsel for the parties to the issue will begin argument. The evidence is in shape, both sides having prepared their data weeks ago.

MISSIONARY MEETING BY THE ARCHDEACONRY

The Archdeaconry of Washington, at 8 p. m., Wednesday, will hold a missionary mass meeting to the public, to close its regular fall session. Three topics of general interest will be discussed. The Rev. G. C. Bratenhal, of St. Alban's, will speak on "The Duty of the Church to Our Immigrants," the Rev. Dr. McKim, of Epiphany, will speak on "The Men's Missionary Thanksgiving, Jamestown, 1607-1907." The Rev. W. C. Shears will describe "Missionary Work in Labrador and Newfoundland."

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Reminiscences of Mrs. Davis During Her Life in Washington



MRS. JEFFERSON DAVIS.

MRS. JOHN A. LOGAN.

Charming Hostess While Her Husband Was in Senate.

By MRS. JOHN A. LOGAN.

After much sunshine and unspeakable sorrows Mrs. Jefferson Davis has at a ripe old age folded her weary arms and passed to the beyond.

Mrs. Davis was verily a typical lady of the olden time. She possessed a rare intellect and was endowed with innumerable virtues. She filled her place as wife and mother with remarkable tenderness, devotion and unwavering loyalty. Born under the auspices of wealth in a time when there were fewer fortunes in the land, she had exceptional opportunities in her youth. She was a pupil in Mme. Greland's School in Philadelphia, the most noted one of the young Republic. Here she was thoroughly trained in all the accomplishments and requisites for filling the high position to which she was called.

She was married at nineteen, and as her husband was soon after elected to Congress she came to Washington a bride. Mr. Davis resigned his seat in the House of Representatives to enter the Mexican war. Achieving much distinction as a soldier he was elected to the United States Senate, immediately

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after peace was declared, and returned to Washington in 1847, remaining in that body until 1853, when he was made a member of Pierce's Cabinet, in which capacity he served until 1857. On his retirement from the Cabinet he was again elected to the Senate from Mississippi, serving in that body until 1861, when he gave up this exalted position and cast his lot with the Confederacy.

Kept Hospitable Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis lived at 1736 I street northwest, in this city, almost the entire time of their residence in Washington, where the most cordial hospitality was extended, both host and hostess vying with each other in their efforts to contribute to the happiness and pleasure of their friends on all occasions.

Mr. Davis was considered one of the ablest men in the Senate, and his wife as a fit companion for a man of his genius and distinction. She was known as one of the most attractive, talented women in society at the Capital. While not a beauty, she was a very fine looking woman, with flashing dark eyes. Her manner was dignified and at the same time cordial and vivacious, betraying the sweetness of her disposition. No one disputed her away as one of the leaders at the National Capital. The few living who knew her in those days remember the powerful influence she wielded.

I knew her in 1859, and have always admired her extravagantly on account of her womanly qualities and her devotion to her husband and family.

The conspicuous part Mr. Davis had

taken in the organization of the Southern Confederacy easily made him its first president, and for a time it seemed that they were destined to continue their social power, but they were doomed by the tragic events that came thick and fast to more of sorrow than of happiness, and, notwithstanding they occupied the executive mansion and essayed to extend Southern hospitality, their plans were often thwarted by melancholy occurrences which had their origin on the field of battle.

Her Vigils and Tenderness.

Historians have written graphically of Mrs. Davis' marvelous courage and noble character during the trying years of 1861-1865, claiming that her vigils were constant, and her tenderness and loyalty unwavering to her husband and children and to the cause for which they had staked their all. The heroism which she displayed from the beginning of the disaster of the Confederacy was admirable. She accepted the saddest decrees of fate unflinchingly, and won the admiration of the whole country as well as the adoration of the people of the South. As one by one of her husband's idols were taken from her she had the sympathy of the entire nation in her unspeakable sorrows.

She proved that she was not tempted by money when a syndicate wished to purchase their old home, Beauvoir, to be used as a hotel. The associations which clustered around the old place

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Wants Power Restored To Corporation Counsel

Kimball Reiterates Statement That Assistant
Prosecutor Should Be Able to Dismiss
Defendants Where He Has No Case.

Reiterating his recent statement to District Commissioner Macfarland, that the power of the Assistant Corporation Counsel to quash such Police Court cases as he deemed without merit should be restored, Judge Ivory G. Kimball, of the Police Court, still maintains that his argument for a return of the old system of court procedure, abolished by the District Commissioners in 1904, is essentially fairer to citizens than the present one. He follows up his first statement by another in which he declares that if he has been subject to criticism for appearing to wish to shift responsibility to the District prosecuting officer it is the outgrowth of misunderstanding.

Ready to Try All Cases.

"In the interview with Commissioner Macfarland in which his views concerning my letter to the Commissioners, asking them to amend the order which takes away from the Assistant Corporation Counsel all power of investigating cases where the statement of witnesses for the District makes a prima facie case," states Judge Kimball, "he is made to say that the only question involved is whether the cases shall be tried by the court, or in the office of the Assistant Corporation Counsel. That is not the question presented by me. I am ready and willing to try all cases brought into court; but where—without standing the prima facie case made by the statement of the prosecuting witness—

the Assistant Corporation Counsel knows (however, that knowledge is obtained, or has reason to believe, that the District has no case, he ought not to bring the case into court unless he satisfies himself he can maintain it. Citizens should not be compelled to defend themselves where the prosecuting attorney knows he has no case. Any rule which requires that is, in my judgment, unjust and that is exactly what the rule now in force, as carried out, does.

Wouldn't Change Collateral.

"I did not ask for the repeal of the Commissioner's order, but only that it be amended in one particular. I did not ask them to change the provision forbidding the Corporation Counsel accepting or changing the amount of collateral, for I believe that part of the order should stand. What I want cured, and what everyone who sees and knows about it wants corrected, is the compelling by process of court the attendance of citizens as defendants when the Corporation Counsel knows and states in court that he knows he has no case against them. His plea is that his hands are tied and, although he knows he has filed a case which he cannot sustain when the evidence is presented, yet he cannot dismiss it under the Commissioner's order. It is an outrage on the citizen thus to drag him into court, and such a condition does not exist in any other court in the United States."

TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION HOLDS MEETING TODAY

Columbia Typographical Union will hold a special meeting at Typographical Temple this afternoon for the purpose of giving further consideration to the case of George M. Evans, foreman of the Globe Printing Company.

The difficulty grows out of the pending eight-hour strike and involves the question of Evans obtaining a card from the Baltimore Union in an alleged arbitrary manner.

It is understood that the reply of the Baltimore Union will be laid before the union this afternoon.

Northwest Want Ad Branch.

The Rhode Island Pharmacy, corner Rhode Island avenue, First and T streets northwest, will accept want advertisements for the Evening and Sunday Times at regular office rates.

CHI Upsilon MEN AT ANNUAL DINNER

Toasts and Music Features
of Banquet in Sixth Presbyterian
Church Parlor.

The annual banquet of the Chi Upsilon Society was held last Friday evening, in the parlors of the Sixth Presbyterian Church. The society's colors were blended with autumn leaves and plants. Responses were made to toasts as follows: "The Ladies," M. A. Skinner; "A Few Painless Extractions," Dr. H. C. Thompson; "Fraternal Greetings," the Rev. Charles Alvin Smith.

Past officers' honors were conferred upon William Reid, of Richmond, Va., in a presentation address by Dr. D. W. Skellenger. Other enjoyable features of the evening's program were two bass solos by Grant F. Howe and a violin solo by Hedge H. Murray.

The members and their guests in attendance were Dr. and Mrs. D. W. Skellenger, Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred M. Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Fish, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Irvine, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Exline, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Prender, Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Just, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Howe, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Skinner, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Woltz, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Taylor, Dr. Millard F. Thompson, the Rev. Charles Alvin Smith, Mrs. Robert E. P. Moyer, the Misses Lottie Waters, B. Schroth, Alice Jacobs, Helen Thompson, Volt, Potter, Murray, and William Reid, Thornton, Lemon, L. J. Joyner, Helge H. Murray, and Jacob S. Moyer.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD WINTER EXCURSION BOOK

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has just issued its annual book of winter excursions. It contains 200 pages, in which routes and rates to all the winter resorts of the East, South, and West are given, together with the attractions of the resorts and lists of the principal hotels.

The work is well illustrated by representative views, including a number of typical scenes in Florida and Southern California, the most popular sections during the winter season.

Those contemplating a midwinter trip to warmer climates will find the publication a valuable aid in selecting a desirable resort.

Copies may be obtained free of charge of any Pennsylvania Railroad ticket agent.

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H. T. Butts Pharmacy, Fourth and Massachusetts avenue northwest, will accept want advertisements for the Evening and Sunday Times at regular office rates.

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Big bargains in laces

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IMITATION CLUNY INSERTIONS AND EDGINGS, in white or ecru; 1 to 4 inches wide; match sets. Worth up to 18c a yard. Choice.

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ORIENTAL AND ALL-OVER LACES, in white and butter. Choice of 25 pretty patterns. Worth 79c and 89c yard. Tomorrow at

49c

1st floor—S. Kann, Sons & Co.

Fashionable high-grade much-wanted silks from New York auction at about half

"ABOUT HALF" means, in this instance, some very nearly half and some considerably less than half. Better silks are not to be had in any regular stock at the regular prices named. We were unusually fortunate at this sale. A mill was pushed for money. Had to have it, and have it quick. There were thousands of yards of good silks on hand, and recourse was had to the auction for quick action. The sale had but one day's advertising, and consequently there were few buyers present. They took advantage of the fact, and EXTRAORDINARY LOW PRICES PREVAILED. Hence the unusual chance here tomorrow.

49c and 59c fancy
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A good collection of neat striped patterns, checks, and other effects, many of them 22 inches wide.

79c black taffeta
silks at 49c

27 inches wide, and an excellent wearing quality. At sale price a most exceptional value. Silks are very lustrous.

75c moire velours at
39c yard

In black only. These are extra weight, and suitable for coats, wraps, or skirts. Fine luster.

85c white brocades
at 39c yard

These are the popular Marie Antionette effects, and we've never seen any offered under a dollar. Only 500 yards in the lot.

85c foulard silks at 50c yard

2,400 yards in all. Includes both Satin and Twilled Foulard, in all the wanted colors, with plenty of blue-and-white and black-and-white dots and small figures. These are splendid gift silks, and you'll do well to take advantage of the sale. You can't buy them during the holiday season at such a price.

\$1.00 peau de soie at
79c yard

36 inches wide. Black only. The dye is perfect and the goods have unusual brilliancy. These are dress silks.

\$1 peau de cygne
at 59c a yard

20 inches wide. Offered in a good assortment of colors, including whites. A chance too good to miss.

Cut price linings

Linings that are unusually good in quality, at unusually low prices: 36-INCH MERCERIZED SOFT FINISHED SATEEN LINING. This is in all colors and black. A regular 23c quality for a yard..... 14c

SHADOW SILK, 36 inches wide; in all colors. Special tomorrow..... 9½c

LIGHT WEIGHT CRINO LET CANVAS, in three colors—black, white, and gray. Regular price, 12½c a yard. Special, a yard..... 8½c

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"Hang" these portieres and lace curtains

A house never looks complete without portieres and lace curtains. Here are some specially attractive offerings in these draperies—and they are truly decorative:

HEAVY TAPESTRY PORTIERES, in plain colors and 2-tone effects; heavy tassel fringe top and bottom; full width; 3 1-2 yards long. A pair..... \$2.98
PARTLY MERCERIZED TAPESTRY PORTIERES, in plain colors of green (3 shades), red (2 shades), and rose; full fringed top and bottom; 3 1-2 yards long. Worth \$5.00 a pair..... \$3.98

WHITE NOTTINGHAM LACE CURTAINS, 3½ yards long, 56 inches wide; handsome patterns in imitation Brussels and Arabesque; stock stitch edges. Worth \$4.00 a pair for..... \$2.98
FRENCH CURTAINS of best bobinet with Renaissance edge and motif in corner. Worth \$4.49 a pair for..... \$4.49

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Dressmaking notions 10 special tapes for tomorrow

5c SPOOL LEONARD'S 100-yard sewing silk, black or white..... 5c
5c SPOOL KING'S 500-yard basting cotton. Sale price a..... 10c
3 spools for..... 10c
15c a dozen CLING SOCKET FASTENER, in black or white, all sizes. Sale price per doz..... 10c
10c to 15c ENGLISH TWILL TAPE, 10-yard piece, all widths. Special sale price..... 6c

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Shell goods sale

Including all kinds of combs and hair pins at savings

Never a time when a woman cannot use an additional comb—or more hair pins.

These very low prices are unusual—so take advantage of them:

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Back combs, newest shapes and patterns. Worth \$1.00 for	Plain back combs, like cut, and other styles. Worth 90c for	Plain back combs, several styles; worth 25c. Choice	Plain side combs, nicely finished; worth 40c a pair for
49c	39c	19c	39c
Plain Side Combs, worth 25c, for	Side and Back Combs, assorted styles; regular 15c kinds, for	Sun Brand Heavy Bone Hair Pins, put up six in box. Worth 25c, for	Seconds of 50c Bone Hair Pins, choice, a dozen,
19c	25c	10c	20c
			20c

50c plaids at
39c yd.

Beautiful Silk-barred Plaids, in 50 different styles and colors; good value at 50c a yard. Offered at 39c.

This material will make up into real pretty waists or dresses—and you'd better buy tomorrow.

15c pillow cases
at 11c

These are made from Bleached Linen Finish Cotton, and are full size, 45x36 inches. Worth every cent of the regular price. A bargain at 11c each.

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"THE BUSY CORNER"

\$6 lace bed sets
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These Lace Bed Sets are for double beds and consist of spread and bolster roll of English bobinet with Renaissance lace edge and inserting and medallion in center.

Very rich in appearance—and think of the low price—only \$4.49.

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Comforts and blankets

Low in price tomorrow

Don't put off buying warm bedwear until Jack Frost catches you and you catch cold. Better catch up with the crowds who will come for these Bedwear Offerings tomorrow.

SANITARY GRAY WOOL BLANKET, full 11-4, extra size and weight. A very pretty shade of light gray, with pretty light blue, pink or red borders, bound with 2-inch binding. Regular price of this blanket, and a good value at that is \$5.00. Special for Monday only..... \$3.98

WHITE COTTON BLANKET, 11-4, extra heavy, in assorted fancy light blue and pink border. \$1.25 value, special tomorrow only..... 98c

FRENCH SATEEN COVERED COMFORTS, in pretty medium and light patterns, filled with odorous down, bound, 6x5 size, and a \$5.00 value. Special..... \$3.98

A SINGLE GRAY COTTON BLANKET ½ of a full 11-4 size. Bound on both edges, and in assorted borders. Regularly worth 50c each. Special tomorrow row only..... 49c

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ALL-WOOL WHITE SKIRTING FLANNELS, silk embroidered, hemstitched or scalloped edges. Worth 90c yard for

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HEAVY FLEECE KIMONO FLANNELLETTE, pretty colorings on tinted grounds, in set figures and floral patterns. Special price, yard

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AMOSKEAG'S HEAVY DAISY FLANNELLETTE in solid colors of light blue, pink, cream, white, gray, and so forth. 15½c yard at

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